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Daniel Johnson, Senior Engineer, 963-3228

West Valley City Appoints New City Engineer

WEST VALLEY CITY – City Manager Wayne Pyle has appointed a West Valley City employee to fill the City Engineer position. Daniel W. Johnson, Senior Engineer, has been appointed City Engineer and the City Council will vote to ratify the appointment during a West Valley City Council Meeting on September 18, 2007 at 6:30 p.m. in Council Chambers (3600 South Constitution Blvd.).

Johnson, a West Valley Employee for almost nine years, replaces Trace Robinson, who left the City to become the City Engineer for Riverton City. Dan graduated with a B.S. in Civil Engineering from the University of Utah. He has been instrumental in more than 15 city projects during his time as a Senior Engineer. He is also currently a member of the American Public Works Association.

"I have always had this position as my ultimate goal here at West Valley City, but never thought I would be given the chance this early," Johnson noted. "I love to be challenged in the things that I am doing, and this is a great opportunity and a new challenge for me to become the new City Engineer."

In his free time, Dan enjoys to spend time with his family, travel, enjoy the outdoors and work on projects at home.